## **Media Information**



## Columbus Division of Police Major Crimes Bureau / Homicide Unit

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Date: 12/15/2020

Type of Offense/Incident: Homicide Date: 12/14/20 Time: 9:57PM

Location of Offense/Incident: 4027 E. Livingston Ave. Incident Report #: 200933155	Zone: 2 Cruiser Dis	strict: 143	Precinct: 14
Victim: Ldarrin O'Neal (Deceased)	Sex: Male	Race: Black	Age: 19
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## **Incident Summary:**

On Monday, December 14, 2020, at 9:57PM, Columbus Police Officers were called to the area of 4027 E. Livingston Ave. on a report of a shooting. On arrival, officers found Ldarrin O'Neal, 19, suffering from an apparent gunshot wound. CFD Medic 23 transported Ldarrin to Mount Carmel East in critical condition, where he was pronounced deceased by attending physicians at 10:49PM.

The investigation revealed that Ldarrin was stopped in the line for the drive-thru at this location behind a small hatchback. As Ldarrin was waiting, two males got out of the hatchback. One of the males approached the driver's side door of Ldarrin's car where a struggle ensued, shots were fired, and the two males fled the scene in the hatchback.

The hatchback is described as a maroon, four door model, with fog lights. The shooter was described as a black male, with long dreads, wearing a white T-shirt and jeans.

Anyone with information regarding this incident, is asked to call Columbus Police Homicide Unit at (614) 645-4730 or Central Ohio Crime Stoppers at (614) 461-TIPS (8477). This is the 160th homicide investigation and the 159th homicide in Columbus Ohio in Calendar Year 2020. Incident #200933155. Detective Kelley is the lead detective on the case and is being assisted by Detective Johnson.

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